

## Message Text

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SUBJECT: AFGHAN PRESIDENT DAOUD TO VISIT SAUDI ARABIA, KUWAIT,  
AND EGYPT

REF: A. KABUL 2176; B. KABUL 2202

1. ON MARCH 26, ACTING FOREIGN MINISTER ABDUL SAMAD GHAUS  
TOLD ME THAT PRESIDENT MOHAMMAD DAOUD'S APRIL 2-10 ITINERARY  
(REFTEL A) WOULD NOW INCLUDE STATE VISITS TO SAUDI ARABIA,  
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KUWAIT, AND EGYPT -- BUT WOULD NOT INCLUDE TURKEY, WHERE IT  
HAD BEEN IMPOSSIBLE TO FIND A MUTUALLY CONVENIENT TIME.

2. GHAUS REPORTED THAT WAHEED ABDULLAH, AFGHANISTAN'S MINISTER-  
IN-CHARGE FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS, WHO IS ALREADY OUT ON THE ROAD  
SMOOTHING THE SUBSTANTIVE ARRANGMENTS FOR KABUL'S UPCOMING  
MINISTERIAL MEETING OF THE NON-ALIGNED COORDINATING COMMITTEE

(REFTEL B), WILL BE JOINING THE DAOUD PARTY FOR ITS STOP  
IN SAUDI ARABIA -- AND THEN BE CONTINUING ON TO SRI LANKA,  
INDONESIA, AND NEW DELHI ON NON-ALIGNED MOVEMENT BUSINESS.

3. THOSE ACCOMPANYING DAOUD WILL BE: GHAUS HIMSELF;  
MOHAMMAD SEDDIQ SALJOOQI, DIRECTOR OF THE SECOND POLITICAL  
DIVISION (MIDDLE EAST AND AFRICA) OF THE FOREIGN MINISTRY;  
AND MOHAMMAD SARWAR DAMANI, DEPUTY CHIEF OF PROTOCOL. (COMMENT:  
WE HAVE HEARD FROM ANOTHER SOURCE THAT DAOUD WILL PROBABLY  
ALSO BE ASSISTED BY JUSTICE MINISTER WAFIULLAH SAMAYEE, WHO  
SERVES AS HIS ARABIC INTERPRETER, AND BY COMMERCE MINISTER  
MOHAMMAD KHAN JALALLAR, WHO IS ALSO SERVING AS ACTING MINISTER  
OF PLANNING. THE PRESENCE OF JALALLAR WOULD OBVIOUSLY BE RELATED  
TO AFGHAN HOPES FOR MORE FINANCIAL AID FROM THEIR OIL-RICH  
CORELIGIONISTS.)  
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